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TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

Board of Appeals and Interferences Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the Examiner's Decision, in the Official Action dated June 5, 2002, finally rejecting claims 67-72, and from the Advisory Action dated September 27, 2002.

The item(s) checked below are appropriate:

- (1) [X] This response is being filed within the third month following the expiration of the term originally set therefor. This is a petition to request a three-month extension of time. It is believed that the fee for such extension of time has been previously paid. If, however, any fees for this petition are due, please charge them to Deposit Account No. 50-0320.
- (2) [X] Notice of Appeal Fee Under 37 C.F.R. 1.17(e): \$320.00
  - [X] Enclosed
  - [ ] Not required (Fee paid in prior appeal)
- (3) [X] Please charge any additional fees incurred by reason of this response or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0320.

(4) [X] An Oral Hearing is requested. (Two additional copies of the Notice are enclosed herewith).

Respectfully submitted,

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